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Announcement of marriages and deaths free of charge.

LOUISVILLE AND NASHVILLE AND GREAT SOUTHERN RAILROAD.

GOING SOUTH.

Train No. 1 arrives and leaves at 12:25 A. M.

Train No. 2 arrives and leaves at 2:55 P. M.

GOING NORTH.

Train No. 1 arrives and leaves at 10:00 P. M.

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**NEW FERRY.**—On last Monday, the County Court granted to Mr. Wm. Edmondson the right to put in a ferry boat on the Cumberland river, between Seay's and the Seven mile ferry, and also to open a road to the same. The road runs near the residence of Mr. W. M. Stewart and through the McReynolds' bottom, crossing the river about three-fourths of a mile below the Seven mile Island. From the river on the south side, there is a gradual ascent leading to the top of the ridge, from which point a ridge route may be taken in almost any direction, avoiding all heavy hills. This route, when opened, will prove a great convenience to the South-siders, particularly in delivering their tobacco during the winter season, as the river can be crossed at this point when so high as to make it impossible to cross it anywhere else in this vicinity.

**The Dramatic Entertainments** by the Hook and Ladder Co. will come off on the nights of the 17th and 18th inst. The programme selected is excellent, and the boys are determined to give satisfaction to all who may attend. The performances of these young men heretofore were a source of great enjoyment to the large crowds who witnessed them, as they expect to keep them up, they are using all possible effort to render each entertainment more and more interesting. Turn out and greet them with a crowded house.

**HON. ROBERT F. FERGUSON** called to see last Saturday, and we were gratified to see him in the enjoyment of excellent health and spirits after his arduous labors in the legislature. He did good work whilst there, securing with others of importance, a bill by which the State will pay \$1,800 of the salary we now pay our county and criminal judges—thus saving \$1,800 per annum to our county.

**TO THE ENTERPRISING.**—A gentleman of Nashville, who owns a number of lots in this city, requests us to say that he will donate the ground to any one who will erect thereon suitable buildings for the manufacture of agricultural implements or a furniture factory, or both combined. He would be glad to confer with parties desiring to engage in manufacturing upon this subject. With this liberal proposition, in connection with the fact that our country abounds with suitable timber in large quantities, and advantages in respect to location, etc., we see no reason why this proposition should not be entertained at once.

**REVIVAL.**—About two weeks ago a protracted meeting was commenced in Springfield, Tenn., by Rev. Mr. Penick, of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, assisted by Rev. B. M. Taylor, of this city. These brethren extended an invitation to Rev. G. W. Fetherston of the Baptist church, and Rev. G. P. Jackson, of the M. E. church, which was accepted, and a glorious union meeting was the consequence. So great was the interest manifested, that on last Thursday the court adjourned and business men closed their doors to attend the meeting. The result was that fifty-two persons professed religion, half of the number being heads of families, the most influential citizens of the place.

**SAMUEL FROST DORRIS**, the venerable father of our townsmen, H. P. Dorris, is at present residing in our city. He is 87 years old, but possesses more activity than most persons many years younger. His wife died about two years ago, they having lived together sixty years. May the remnant of his days be bright and prosperous.

**MR. W. P. LINDLEY** was tried before R. D. Read, Esq., last week, upon a charge of falsifying and uttering a counterfeit bank note. The case created considerable interest, and the parties were bound over to appear at the next term of Criminal Court.

**The meeting at the Baptist church** is increasing in interest as it progresses. Rev. Mr. Nelson is laboring zealously and effectively, and is adding members to the church, whilst many are earnestly inquiring the way of life. Large audiences are constantly in attendance, and we sincerely hope great good will result from this meeting.

**The fares selected by the Hook and Ladder company** for their entertainments next Thursday and Friday night will make us "rich and grow fat." So be in time to get a good seat and enjoy the fun.

**MR. L. FROELICH** having disposed of his stock of dry goods, has rented Capt. Valliant's old stand, and has gone east to purchase a stock of clothing, furnishing goods, etc. He is an energetic business man, and will, doubtless, build up a good trade in his new store.

**A PROTRACTED** meeting was commenced at the M. E. church last Sunday, by Rev. J. M. McFerrin. Good congregations are in attendance, and an interest is being manifested by the impromptu which we hope will be kept up until all shall be soundly converted. Other ministers will be here to assist in conducting the meeting.

**TIME'S TEST.**—Time tries all things, rejects those which are useless, and holds fast to that which is good. Stores without number have been invented and patented, but soon gave up the ghost. The Charter Oak has stood the test of seventeen years, and is steadily increasing in favor.

**We publish the Assessment Law**, passed March 22, 1873, on our first page. It takes up most of all the available space on the outside form of our paper, but we deem it of sufficient importance to publish it entire.

**JAMES SMITH** holds Chancery court in Lebanon, next week.

**NASHVILLE EXPOSITION.**—The third annual Industrial Exposition of Nashville, which commences next month, already promises to excel in interest, its predecessors. The art hall and other additions to the building have been completed, and applications for space from exhibitors come in so rapidly as to insure the full occupancy of the building. All the railroads concentrating at Nashville and steamboats carrying for exhibitors at half rates, and railroads concentrating south transport cars and all animals free of charge. This department promises to be most attractive.

**DEATH OF A CENTENARIAN.**—Louis Corpe, of Stephenson, Ala., died on the 6th inst. at the advanced age of 108 years. He had lived in Jackson county 60 years.

**DR. BRACMONT** has resumed the practice of medicine. He stands deservedly high in the estimation of our people, both as a citizen and physician. See his card.

**PHOTOGRAPHY.**—McCombs is introducing a new style in his art. The printing of a variety of beautiful and fancy back-grounds, behind the ordinary plain photograph. The photographs, Messrs. Benda, of Gold mine, have been awarded a gold medal for their improvement, and Mac is determined to keep our city well up to date in his profession. He has a very fine specimen now on exhibition at his gallery, and it will pay you to call and examine it.

**WE met our friend and former townsmen, John B. Johnson,** of Rough and Furnace in town this week. He was not looking very rough, but is always ready with a smile and kind word for all.

**KLEMAN, merchant tailor** and clothier, on Franklin street, has a choice stock of goods. His assortment of furnishing goods, hats, boots, shoes, etc., is complete. Give him a call.

**We regret to learn from the Union and American**, that the dwelling of Rev. James Plummer, of Franklin, was destroyed by fire on the 9th inst. The house was owned by N. N. Cox and was insured for \$2,000.

**BISHOP QUINCY** arrived in the city last Wednesday, and confirmed thirteen persons at the Episcopal church that night and others at St. Andrews chapel on Thursday night.

**REV. B. M. TAYLOR** has returned home, and will hold service at his church to-morrow at the usual hours. He would be pleased to see a full congregation of members and others present.

**STATE WARRANTS** at Nashville are dull, brokers paying from 93 to 95 cents. The new issue of the Bank of Tennessee notes, are worth 25 cents in the dollar.

**The Hook and Ladder boys** are expected everybody to attend the entertainments on the 17th and 18th insts., and are using their best efforts to make them enjoyable.

**The Lodge of Good Templars** in this city is constantly increasing in membership, and now has over one hundred members.

**FRESH LAKE FISH.**—Settle & Son and W. M. Orgain & Co. are receiving daily by express, fine lake fish, put up in ice.

**We are indebted to B. M. Clifton,** City Assessor, for the following statement of the city assessment, for 1873:

**Tax on Real Estate** \$7,600 27  
**Tax on Personal Property** 1,649 27  
**Tax on Polls** 400 00  
**Total** \$9,649 54

**COUNTY COURT—APRIL TERM.**

This body met on last Monday with a full attendance, Judge King presiding.

The minutes of the last Quarterly Term were read and approved.

The report of the Finance Committee was read by the Chairman, showing that the committee has on hand, in cash and cash notes, the sum of \$5,924 32, as a sinking fund, which has accumulated since the formation of the committee in July, 1872.

The Judge was authorized to make deeds to the purchasers of the Poor-house property on payment of the purchase money, and the money received therefor was appropriated to the payment of the new Poor-house, as per contract.

The resignation of Hon. R. F. Furman, as Justice of the Peace, in Dis. No. 2, was presented to the court and accepted.

The Committee appointed at the January Term, to take into consideration the propriety of building a new Jail, made two reports. The majority reporting in favor of purchasing a new site and building a new Jail; the minority reporting in favor of repairing the old one. After discussion the following resolution was, on motion of J. Cobb, Esq., adopted by a large majority, viz:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to have such reports, alterations, or renovation of the present Jail done, as in the opinion of said committee, shall be necessary and proper; to make said Jail a proper place for keeping of persons committed to said Jail by the laws made and provided in said cases. Provided, that can be done in the opinion of said committee at a cost not to exceed \$25,000, and that a special tax of five cents on the \$100, be and the same is hereby assessed upon all the taxable property of the county for said purpose, and that the Finance Committee, may if they think proper, lend a sufficient amount of the funds in their hands, at a fair rate of interest, to be repaid to said committee from the assessment herein allowed, when collected.

The court appointed as the committee under this resolution, Joshua Cobb, Peter O Neal and S. A. Caldwell. Esquires Mallory, Caldwell and Anderson, were appointed a committee to examine the additional delinquent list of Jas. M. Trotter, revenue collector for 1873.

The usual appropriations were made, which, with amount appropriated for the Jail, will amount to the sum of about \$50,000.

H. W. Watts was elected Notary Public, for New Providence, in place of B. B. Honar, dec'd.

The county tax was fixed for the present year, at 20 cents on the \$100 worth of property. The railroad tax was fixed at 40 cents on the \$100.

The consideration of the School law and election of County Superintendent, was postponed to next meeting of the court.

The consideration of the road law was also postponed.

John R. Martin, railroad Tax Collector, for the years 1872, '73, '74, '75, '76, '77, '78, '79, '80, was directed by the court to proceed to sell all lands condemned by the Circuit Court, for said years—the same having been held up heretofore by direction of the Finance Committee.

An order was made directing and authorizing Peter O Neal, to take into consideration all pauper claims, such as coffins, admission to Poor-house, etc., and decide thereon.

Peter O Neal and S. A. Caldwell, were appointed a committee to contract for the recovering of the Court-house, for which a sufficient amount was appropriated.

The following persons were appointed Assessors in the various Districts: Dist. No. 1, J. O. Fort; No. 2, H. W. Whitfield; No. 3, J. P. Rogers; No. 4, W. S. Mallory; No. 5, H. R. Rogers; No. 6, H. M. Dudley; No. 7, John W. Martin; No. 8, W. F. Young; No. 9, John Thompson; No. 10, W. J. Sherron; No. 11, R. D. Mosley; No. 12, J. C. Read; No. 13, G. B. Smith; No. 14, W. F. Young; No. 15, Wm. Harvey; No. 16, Robert Edmondson; No. 17, Robert Edmondson; No. 18, J. R. Edmondson; No. 19, R. Edmondson; No. 20, John T. Nolen.

## CITY COUNCIL.

Regular meeting April 11, 1873.

Hon. G. R. Harris, Mayor, in the chair. Present—Aldermen Hyman, Ferrell, Bloch, Ligon, McReynolds, Jackson and Johnson. Absent—Alderman W. M. Kerr.

Minutes of preceding meeting read and approved.

T. Willis, being present, was allowed the floor. He stated that, some years ago, S. S. Norfield had been voted an appropriation of \$250, for damages sustained by opening a street through his premises from Union to Washington street; that in his opinion, he (Willis) had sustained the same damage, and asked that a committee be appointed to examine into the matter, with a view of making the same appropriation to him, to be paid in liquidating taxes due him to the city. By reference to the minutes it appeared that the Board, in May, 1872, appointed a committee who, after examining into the case reported, recommending \$150, be paid to Mr. Willis; whereupon the board declined to take any further action.

A petition of Rev. J. B. Shearer, to open a street running north from College street along the line between lots of S. Roxinger and Mrs. Faxon, was referred to street committee, to report on at next regular meeting.

Monthly reports of city officers were read and referred to financial committee.

H. Frech, chief of fire department, submitted a report showing sundry citizens had advanced to him the sum of \$1,173, for the purpose of equipping the fire department, and the disposition he had made of it. He also showed that he had given the parties certificates stating the amount so advanced, &c.

On motion of Alderman Hyman, the city Marshall was instructed to receive these certificates in payment of taxes.

The finance committee having examined into the city officers' monthly reports, and approved same, they were accepted.

Alderman Bloch offered an ordinance which passed first reading: "That from and after the passage of this act, any and all persons who shall establish, within the corporate limits of this city, a manufactory of any kind, with a cash capital of \$10,000, the same with necessary grounds, buildings, &c., shall be exempt from taxation for the period of five years."

A proposition, of Alderman Jackson, to donate to the Hook and Ladder Co. the old fire engine, to be appropriated by them in the erection of a house for their trucks, &c., was referred to the committee on fire department.

After making sundry alterations and corrections in the assessment list, the Board adjourned.

G. R. HARRIS, Mayor.

J. O'BRIEN, City Recorder.

**To those Wanting Cheap Pictures.**

I am making Cheap Photographs, &c., as cheap as the cheapest man in Clarksville. I offer the inducement in the higher grades of the Art, and of the best work ever done in the city. Come in and see my prices and the quality of work. I am constantly receiving from the Importers and Manufacturers, a splendid assortment of Frames and Cases, which I am able to sell as cheap as most dealers can purchase. Give me a call before purchasing anything in this line.

W. J. McCORMACK.

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**THE EASTMAN ATLANTIC BICYCLE COLLEGE.**—This institution has achieved a success which is unparalleled in the history of Commercial Colleges. Starting in Atlanta, May 9th, 1871, with four students, it has already sent out to the business world nearly THREE HUNDRED STUDENTS to test their superior merits. The secret of its wonderful success is, it is the only College in the South that is conducted on the actual business plan. 2d, it keeps up to the letter its advertisements. 3d, it is conducted by men who have had years of experience as practical accountants, business men, and teachers.

The course for full course including board, washing, tuition, books, and stationery will not exceed \$130. For specimens of Penmanship and College Journal containing full information. Address G. E. Dettler, President, P. O. Box 536, Atlanta, Ga. 6w.

**RURAL SUN.**—As many subscribers to the Rural Sun in connection with the CHRONICLE complain of the irregularity in receiving the Sun, we deem it best to stop clubbing with it from this date. Therefore, if any of our subscribers wish to subscribe for that valuable paper they will send it in their own name. This will not inconvenience them, and at the same time it will relieve us of the embarrassment of listening to complaints.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**

Brew, Broadus & Co. speak for themselves in new advertisements today. They have an excellent stock of goods for the spring and summer trade.

E. Glick has an advertisement in today's paper. He keeps a well assorted stock of goods. Call and examine it.

Dr. Beaumont has had in another column.

A. New, of Woodlawn, has some friends in the public.

Wm. Seay publishes a few certificates in this issue.

Pitman & Lewis have an unsurpassed stock of clothing, furnishing goods, etc., to which they invite the attention of the public. They can suit you, from top to toe.

**A Fine Thing for the Teeth.**

The fragrant SOZODONT has taken a very prominent place among the most approved dentifrices of the day. It is a very valuable article for the toilet, highly recommended by all who have used it, as a beautifier and preserver of the teeth, refreshing the mouth, sweetening the breath, and arresting the progress of decay.

**DEED.**

In Port Royal, on the 2nd inst. Mrs. S. A. Ligon, wife of Felix Ligon, aged 87 years.

**FOR THE LADIES.**—I have now for sale, a new Shoe Button, which I will put on for you, and guarantee to stay. Give me a trial, ladies, and save yourselves a great deal of trouble and annoyance. V. L. WILLIAMS, ap 5-4t

**Traded Bonds as Security to Meetings.**

For the Clarksville District, Tennessee, meeting.

Springfield station, April 23 and 24. Salem and Corinth, at Corinth, May 13 and 14. Cedar Hill, at Turnersville, May 17 and 18. Clinton, at Clarksville, May 21 and 22. Adams, May 21 and 22. New Providence station, June 7 and 8. Hickory, June 14 and 15. Montgomery, at Montgomery, June 14 and 15. Clarksville station, July 14 and 15.